

802.6 Periods excluded from limitation.

1. When a person leaves the state, the indictment or information may be found within the period of limitation prescribed in [this chapter](#) after the person's coming into the state, and no period during which the party charged was not publicly resident within the state is a part of the limitation.

2. The time within which an indictment or information must be found shall not include the time during which the defendant is a public officer or employee and the offense arises from misconduct relating to the duties and trust of that office or employment.

[C51, §2814; R60, §4516; C73, §4169; C97, §5167; C24, 27, 31, 35, 39, §~~13446~~; C46, 50, 54, 58, 62, 66, 71, 73, 75, 77, §752.5; C79, 81, §802.6]

[2002 Acts, ch 1116, §1](#); [2020 Acts, ch 1063, §379](#)